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Mr. Raymond P. Whearty, Chairman Interdepartmental Committee on Internal Security Department of Justice Washington 25, D. C.

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Dear Mr. Whearty:

In response to your letter of 21 October 1952, the proposed National Security Council directive and report to the NSC dated 10 October 1952, concerning the eligibility of foreign representatives to receive classified security information, has the full support of this Agency with one reservation which may be shared by other U. S. intelligence services.

In view of the above, it is recommended that operational information transmitted to foreign intelligence personnel to facilitate action beneficial to U.S. security should not be considered security information within the meaning of the intended NSC directive and that accredited foreign intelligence personnel

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with whom this Agency is in operational contact need not be subject to the provisions of the directive. To accomplish this end, it is suggested that paragraph 2 of your Enclosure #1 contain a statement to the effect that these regulations need not be applied to accredited representatives of foreign intelligence agencies engaged in operational lisison with U.S. security agencies, where it is determined that no additional security will result.

Sincerely,

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